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Application Number: 10/067,333	)	Examiner
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For: MAGNETIC RECORDING MEDIUM AND MAGNETIC	)	
RECORDING SYSTEM USING THE SAME	)	
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Attorney Docket No. HITA.0161	)	

Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

Applicants request that the time for taking action in this case be extended pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for **one (1) month**. The fee set in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 for the extension of time is **\$120.00**.

Please charge any additional fee required for this extension of time to Deposit Account 08-1480. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

Also filed is *a Response to an Office Action and an Information Disclosure Statement*.

Respectfully submitted,

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